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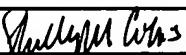
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AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION

Sir or Ma'am:

In response to the Office Action dated March 9, 2006, please amend the above-captioned application as set forth below.

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 2 of the paper.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims and begins on page 4 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 19 of this paper.